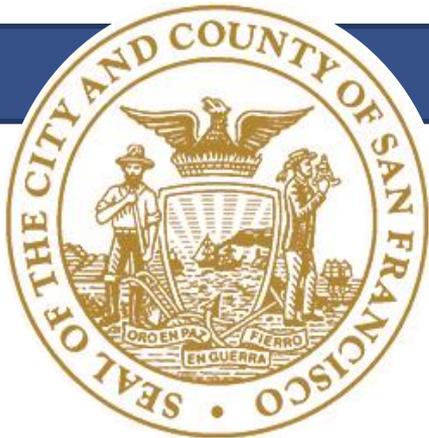


# San Francisco Police Department Firearm Discharge Review Board Report & In-Custody Death Review Board Report



**CITY & COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO**

Police Department

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# Firearm Discharge Review Board

In the 2nd Quarter of 2022, the Firearm Discharge Review Board reviewed the following completed Officer-Involved Shooting and Discharge cases.

- OIS 20-004

### Officer-Involved Shooting 20-004

On November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020, at approximately 5:09 p.m., San Francisco Police Department officers responded to a call of a fight between two males at the intersection of 5th and Market Streets. One of the males was said to be armed with a large kitchen knife and a frying pan. Numerous officers responded to the scene.

The first unit on scene was a two-officer unit. Officer #1 was equipped with the Extended Range Impact Weapon (ERIW), and Officer #2 acted as the lethal cover officer. They encountered the Suspect with the knife and frying pan walking east toward 4<sup>th</sup> Street on the south sidewalk of Market Street. The officers gave repeated verbal commands for the Suspect to stop and drop the knife. The Suspect did not comply and continued to walk eastbound. Officer #1 then fired the ERIW one time, striking the Suspect, but the suspect continued to hold the knife. The Suspect then charged toward Officer #1. Officer #1 deployed his ERIW again, but the Suspect still continued to hold the knife.

At the same time, Officer #3 arrived on scene and was equipped with a less lethal option that fires a forty-millimeter projectile. Officer #3 discharged the 40 mm less lethal weapon once at the Suspect, but the Suspect did not drop the knife. Officer #2, fearing that the charging Suspect with the knife would stab Officer #1, discharged his firearm at the Suspect, striking him. The Suspect fell to the ground but maintained possession of the knife and frying pan. The officers repeated verbal commands to drop the knife. The Suspect did not comply and stood back up.

### Officer-Involved Shooting 20-004 (cont'd)

As additional officers arrived on scene, Officer #3 deployed the 40mm less than lethal option again, but the suspect still continued to hold the knife. The Suspect then lunged toward officers with the knife in his hand. Officer #4 discharged his firearm at the Suspect. The Suspect was struck and fell to the ground but did not release the knife or pan.

Officers deployed additional ERIW, foam projectiles, and OC spray at the Suspect. These force options had no noticeable effect and the Suspect continued to possess the knife and pan. Two San Francisco Sheriff's Deputies arrived on scene. They advised the on scene Sergeant that they were equipped with and could utilize their electronic control weapons (Tasers). One deputy deployed the Taser twice on the Suspect. After the first deployment of the Taser the Suspect did not comply. After the second deployment the Suspect dropped the knife.

The Suspect was taken into custody. Officers began to immediately render aid to the Suspect, and he was transported to SFGH for treatment.

**Recommendation to COP:** Use of Firearm—In Policy

## In-Custody Death Review Board

In the 2nd Quarter of 2022, there were no In-Custody Death cases presented to the In-Custody Death Review Board.

Status of Open Officer-Involved Shooting Investigations  
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In-Custody Death Investigations

## Open OIS and ICD Investigations: 2017-2022

Date of Incident	Criminal Investigation	3304 Date	Investigation Status
OIS 17-001 (01/6/17) 515 Capitol Ave Taraval District	District Attorney filed charges November 2, 2021.	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations.
OIS 17-007 (12/01/17) Fitzgerald/Hawes Bayview District	District Attorney filed charges on November 23, 2020.	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations.
OIS 19-003 (12/7/19) 3824 23 <sup>rd</sup> Street Mission District	District attorney filed charges December 7, 2020.	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations.
OIS 20-001 (05/07/21) Varney St @ Jack London Alley Southern District	District Attorney has not rendered a decision.	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations.
OIS 21-002 (11/17/21) 917 Folsom Street Southern District	District Attorney has not rendered a decision	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations
OIS 22-001 (1/20/22) San Francisco Int'l Airport Airport Bureau	California DOJ has not rendered a decision.	Pending Criminal Investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations
ICD 22-001 (3/16/22) 1432 Halibut Court Southern District	District Attorney has not rendered a decision.	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations

## Open OIS and ICD Investigations: 2017-2022

Date of Incident	Criminal Investigation	3304 Date	Investigation Status
OIS 22-002 (4/15/22) Concord, California Off-Duty OIS Incident	Contra Costa County District Attorney has not rendered a decision.	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations.
OIS 22-003 (5/19/22) Mariposa / Owens Southern District	California DOJ has not rendered a decision.	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations.
OIS 22-004 (6/15/22) 571 Moscow Street Ingleside District	Non-Criminal Incident	06/15/2023	Active administrative investigation.
OIS 22-005 (8/6/22) 381 Shotwell Street Mission District	District Attorney has not rendered a decision	Pending criminal investigation	Active criminal and administrative investigations.



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